



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

MAILED

MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.
3 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER
NEW YORK, NY 10281-2101

FEB 27 2009
Director's Office
Group 500

In re application of
FREYTAG, JOCHEN, ET AL.

: **NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL**
:
: **FROM ISSUE**
:
: **UNDER 37 CFR. 1.313**

Serial Number: 10/540,438
Filed: June 06, 2006

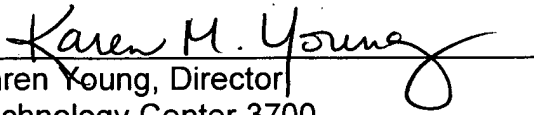
For: **METHOD AND PLANT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF FINE-GRAINED
SOLIDS**

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue after payment of the issue fee to permit reopening of prosecution. The examiner will communicate an office action to you.

The issue fee is refundable upon written request. If, however, the application is again found allowable, the issue fee can be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due upon written request. This request and any balance due must be received on or before the due date noted in the new Notice of Allowance in order to prevent abandonment of the applicant.

Telephone inquiries should be directed to Steve McAllister at (571) 272-6785.

The above-identified application is being forwarded to the examiner for prompt appropriate action, including notifying applicant of the new status of this application.


Karen Young, Director
Technology Center 3700
571-272-3750

eh/ 02/26/09